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Application No.: 09/623,414) Examiner: M. Chaudhry
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For: METHOD FOR SEPARATING AND

PURIFYING ADIPIC ACID

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

All finally rejected claims in the decision of the Primary Examiner dated <u>September 25</u>, are hereby appealed to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.

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[] Small entity status is hereby claimed.

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